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CHANGES IN CBSE CURRICULUM
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CBSE is planning to bring in some changes in the curriculum and introduce subjects like photography, theatre and journalism at the plus two level as reported in the `The Times of India` dated March 25, 2007;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be introduced?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a) and (b): As per information furnished by Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), it has designed the following courses for introduction at higher secondary stage.-

1. Creative Writing and Translation Studies
2. Financial Management
3. General Health Care
4. Fashion Design and Garment Technology

(c): CBSE has informed that while action has been initiated to introduce the subjects Creative Writing and Translation Studies and Financial Management in the academic year 2007-08. Other courses are planned to be introduced in a phased manner.